GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
COMMUNICATIONS AND INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY
LOK SABHA

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BHARATI TELEVENTURES NETWORK SERVICE
ADHIR RANJAN CHOWDHURY

Will the Minister of COMMUNICATIONS AND INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government have directed Bharat Sanchar Nigam Limited (BSNL) and Mahanagar Telephone Nigam Limited (MTNL to set up 18 points to interconnect with Bharati Televentures network;

(b) if so, the details thereof;

(c) the target fixed by Bharati Televentures for providing network during the year 2002-2003; and

(d) the names of States likely to get Bharati Televentures services in the country?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF COMMUNICATIONS AND INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY (SHRIMATI S MAHAJAN)

(a) There is no Company as Bharti Televentures Network which has been given licence for Telecom.
(b) to (d) : Do not arise in view of (a) above.